

House Resolution 988

By: Representatives Neal of the 1st and Scott of the 2nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Congratulating the LaFayette High School wrestlers on winning state championships; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, through perseverance and iron determination, the LaFayette High School
4 wrestling team has earned a reputation for excellence; and

5 WHEREAS, this stellar team produced four individual state champions, including Senior
6 Matthew Stanfield, Juniors Justin Ownby and Seth Taylor, and Sophomore Preston
7 McCalmon; and

8 WHEREAS, Senior Matthew Stanfield earned the state's top spot in the 135 pound division,
9 while Sophomore Preston McCalmon won the state title in the 112 pound division; and

10 WHEREAS, Junior Justin Ownby stands as the champion of the 152 pound division, and his
11 classmate, Seth Taylor, is the best in the state for the 130 pound division; and

12 WHEREAS, before the amazing accomplishments of these Ramblers, LaFayette High
13 School's wrestling program had only five individual state champions; and

14 WHEREAS, the phenomenal performance of these stellar athletes is a clear indication of
15 their outstanding athletic ability, dedication and hard work, and drive and determination to
16 be the best; and

17 WHEREAS, the remarkable season each of these wrestlers had was achieved due to the
18 astute direction of Head Coach Sam Forester; and

19 WHEREAS, Matthew, Seth, Justin, and Preston earned their well-deserved reputation for
20 excellence by performing with courage and precision over months of training and
21 competition, and their performances this season are worthy of recognition.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
23 the members of this body congratulate the LaFayette High School wrestlers on winning state
24 championships and extend their sincere best wishes for future success.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to the state champions of the
27 LaFayette High School wrestling team.